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ATHENS FEMALE COLLEGE

ATHENS, ALABAMA.

Founded 1842

Owned and Controlled by the North Alabama Conference, M. E. Church, South

That our daughters may be . . . polished.—Psalms cxiv.



Calendar.

Sixty-Second Session---1904.

First term begins.....	September 28
Entrance Examinations.....	September 28-30
Recitations begin.....	September 29

1905.

Second term begins...	February 1
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Holidays.

Tnanksgiving Day.	Washington's Birthday.
Christmas Week.	April 1.

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Principal.

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Presiding Teacher.

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English, History, Latin.

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Literature, Science.

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Modern Languages.

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German.

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French.

School of Art.

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Pupil Wm. Chase, Frank Vincent, Howard Chandler Christy, Chase School of Art,
New York.

School of Expression.

Miss Mary Brown, A. B.,
Emerson School of Oratory, Boston.

School of Music.

Prof. J. B. Grass, Director.

Instructor in Piano, Theory, Harmony and History of Music.

Assistant Director, (to be supplied)

Voice Culture, Sight Singing and Chorus, (to be supplied)

None but an artist of ability will be given this important place.

Mrs. Susie Chaddock,

Matron, Superintendent Home Department, Class in Cooking.

Roll of Students.

SENIOR CLASS.

Name.	Parent or Guardian.	Post Office.
Grace Mai Chamblee	J. P. Chamblee	Town Creek
Jessie Pearl Green	C. C. Green	Madison
Maurice Mai Halsey	J. F. Halsey	New Decatur
Anna Echols Hobbs	T. M. Hobbs	Athens
Annie Sample	R. H. Sample	Somerville
Mary Sample	" "	"
Annie Moore Wiggins	R. Wiggins	Athens

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS.

Bain, Ludie	A. G. Bain	Pitt., Ala.
Bareleft, Isola	Dr. T. R. Bareleft	Red Hill
Bareleft, Ha	" "	"
Bareleft, Lucia	Dr. N. A. Bareleft	Hartselle
Barnes, Enid	Dr. T. R. Barnes	Rockwood
Bell, Genea	Dr. W. H. Bell	Hargrove
Binford, Blanche	Berry Binford	Athens
Bishop, Pattie	Mrs L. C. Bishop	San Antonio, Texas
Chandler, Robbie	W. P. Chandler	Athens
Chandler, Nona	" "	"
Chandler, Isabel	" "	"
Crandall, Alma	m I Crandall	Springville
Carter, Emma	Mrs. Carter	Athens
Crawford, Nelle	Mr. Crawford	"
Crawford, Louise	" "	"
Coats, Edna	Dr. J. C. Coats	Blanche, Tenn.
Collins, Ida Joe	Mr. Collins	Opelika
Crow, Susie	Rev J. J. Crow,	Hargrove
Cowgill, Sadie	G. T. Cowgill	Lewisburg

Clement, Opie	M. K. Clement	Athens
Cunningham, Kate	Mrs. S. E. Gunnels	Oxford
Crutcher, Mrs. W. P.		Mobile
Dixon, Jennie	W. F. Dixon	Demopolis
Drake, Nora	Capt. Turner	Athens
Dorman, Olivia	Rev. W. W. Dorman	Jonesboro
Evans, Patra	W. B. Evans	Su'lligent
Eichelberger, Sallie M.	G. W. Eichelberger	Oxtori
Grady, Edna	James Grady	Hillsboro
Grass, Annie	J. B. Grass	Athens
Grass, Willie	"	
Glenn, Susie	Rev. E. M. Glenn	Attala
Griffis, Emma	Mrs. Emma Griffis	Athens
Gilreath, Lollie	Belton Gilreath	Birmingham
Gilreath, Elizabeth	"	"
Gordon, Carrie	Mr. Gordon	Athens
Gordon, Lillious	"	"
Hatchett, Kate	Mr. Hatchett	"
Henderson, Myrtle	Mrs. A E Kirkland	"
Henderson, May	"	"
Hine, Evie	E. Hine	"
Hine, Clara	"	"
Hobbs, Pleas	T. M. Hobbs	"
Izzard, Mildred	Mrs. Izzard	Athens
Irvine, Ellen	Mrs. Irvine	"
Irvine, Kate	"	"
Jones, Laura Lou	Mrs. Alice Jones	Strange
Kelly, Ollie	Mrs. W. C. Nichols	Rowland
Kennedy, Josephine	Mrs. S. C. Kennedy	Oneonta
Keyes, Miss	Mr. Keyes	Athens
Keves, Julia	Mr. Keyes	"
Kimbell, Mary	F. J. Davis	Decatur
King, Florence.	James Yarbrough	Athens

Lampkin, Mai Alma	A. B. Lampkin	Decatur
Lee, Ethel	W. A. Lee	Town Creek
Looney, Inez	—Looney	Athens
Lindsay, Annie Laurie	—Lindsey	Bell Mina
Malone, Sara Montea		Athens
Malone, Mary Lucy	—Malone	"
Markowitz, Francis	M. Markowitz	"
McClellan, Mrs. T. C.	Hon. T. C. McClellan	"
McGee, Bertha	G. L. McGee, Jr.	Luttrell
McGuire, Grace	Mrs. McGuire	Athens
McWilliams, Nellie	W. McWilliams	"
Owen, Gera	J. R. Owen	Sulligent
Odom, Maude	E. M. Odom	Town Creek
Parrish, Laura	Rev. D. L. Parrish	Athens
Parrish, Maggie	"	"
Parrish, Eva	C. L. Parish	Fort Payne
Purveyar, Mona	E. F. Puryear	Athens
Purveyar, Nell'a	"	"
Reeder, Annie Mai	J. T. Reeder	Smithsonia
Richardson, Annie D.	W. N. Richardson	Quid Nunc
Robertson, Nellie	W. G. Robertson	Corinth Miss.
Robertson, Lewie	W. G. Robertson	" "
Russell, Elna	W. B. Russell	Athens
Russell, Ruth	"	"
Sanderson, Lena	L. R. Sanderson	Cluttsville
Stalcup, Mai	A. D. Stalcup	Blossburg
Skewes, Alice	Wm. Skewes	Bessemer
Stith, Fannie	F. J. Stith	Brookside
Simms, Annie		Caddo
Thompson, Bodie	Rev. R. A. Thompson	Town Creek
Tutwiler, Haidee	E. E. Tutwiler	Adamsville
Vandergrift, Ada	Mrs. Vandergrift	Athens
Vandergrift, Eunice	"	"
Vanhoozer, Mabel	Mrs. Le Croix	"
Warten, Rosa	H. Warten	"
Warten, Daisy	H. Warten	"
Webb, Bessie	Mrs. E. A. Webb	Birmingham
Westmoreland, Winnie	Mrs. Westmoreland	Athens
Wilson, Della	J. R. Wilson	Blossburg
Wise, Fannie	J. H. Wise	Flint

Yarbrough, Kate B.	Jas Yarbrough	Athens
York, Ozie	Dr. S. York	

PRIMARY.

Bates, Annie Mai	R. P. Bates	Town Creek
Chandler, Rebecca	W. P. Chandler	Athens
Cartwright, Nellie	R. M. Cartwright	"
Crawford, Anna	Mr. Crawford	"
Cotton, Nellie	Mr. Cotton	"
Crutcher, Mamie	Dr. Crutcher	"
Grass, Rony	J. B. Grass	"
Glenn, Claude	Rev. E. M. Glenn	Attalla
Glenn, Edgar	"	"
Gilreath, Margaret	B. Gilreath	Birmingham
Gordon, Carl	Mr. Gordon	Athens
Gordon, Ernest	"	"
Gordon, Rosa	"	"
Harlow, Leila May	Mrs. Harlow	"
Martin, James	Wm. Martin	"
Martin, Wilburn	"	"
McDaniel, Madeline	Dr. McDaniel	"
McClellan, Bob	Hon. T. C. McClellan	"
Parrish, Althea	Rev. D. L. Parrish	"
Pepper, Louise	Mrs. Pepper	"
Pepper, Anna D	"	"
Rogers, Annie D.	Mrs Rogers	"
Rogers, Leila	L. L. Rogers	"
Rives, Sarah	Mrs. M. Rives	"
Rives, Jen	"	"
Richardson, Chas.	R. H. Richardson	"
Sanders, Thomas	Hon. W. T. Sanders	"
Sanders, Francis	"	"
Smith, Annie Sue	C. L. Smith	Smithsonia
Smith, Ira	J. H. Smith	Athens
Sively, Wm.	Mr. Lively	"
Turrentine, Nina	Mrs. F. Turrentine	"
Vanhooser, Ruby	Mrs. Le Croix	"
Warten, Louise	H. Warten	"
Warten, Mattie	"	"
York, Vann	Dr. S. York	"

Departments.

MUSIC DEPARTMENT.

Bain, Ludie
Barcleff, Isola
Barcleff, Ila
Barcleff, Lucia
Bates, Annie Mai
Bell, Genoe
Binford Blanche
Bishop, Pattie
Chamblee, Grace
Crandall, Alma
Chandler, Roberte
Chandler, Nona
Chandler, Isabel
Clements, Opie
Coats, Edna
Cotton, Nelle
Crow, Susie
Crutcher, Mrs. W. D.
Crutcher, Mamie
Drake, Nora
Dixon, Lida
Dorman, Olivia
Evans, Patra
Eichelberger, Sallie
Grass, Annie
Grass, Willie
Glenn, Susie
Griffis, Emma
Gilreath, Lollie
Gilreath, Elizabeth
Gilreath, Margaret
Halsey, Memrice
Harlow, Leila

Hobbs, Anna
Hobbs, Pleas
Izzard, Mildred
Jones, Laura
Kennedy, Josephine
Kays, Miss
Kays, Julia
Kimbell, Mary
Lee, Ethel
Lampkin, Mai
Malone, Mary
McGee, Bertha
McClellen, Mrs. T. C.
McGuire, Grace
McWilliams, Nelle
Owen, Gera
Odom, Maude
Parrish, Laura
Parrish, Maggie
Puryear, Mona
Puryear, Nella
Reeder, Annie
Richardson, Charles
Rives, Sarah
Russell, Elna
Russell, Ruth
Sample, Annie
Sample, Mary
Sanderson, Lena
Stalcup, Mai
Skewes, Alice
Stith, Fannie
Smith, Annie

Tutwiler, Haidee
Vandegrift, Ada
Vandegrift, Eunice
Vanhooser, Mabel
Warten, Rosa
Warten, Daisy

Warten, Louise
Webb, Bessie
Westmoreland, Winnie
Wilson, Della
Wise, Fannie
York, Ozie

VOICE.

Barcleft, Lucia
Coats, Edna
Crutcher, Mrs. W. D
Grass, Annie
Malone, Miss
McClellen, Mrs. T. C.
Parrish, Laura

Russell, Elna
Russell, Ruth
Richardson, Miss
Sample, Annie
Tutwiler, Haidee
Webb, Bessie
Wise, Fannie

ELOCUTION DEPARTMENT.

Bell, Genoe
Chandler, Rebecca
Cunningham, Kate
Dixon, Jennie
Clements, Opie
Eichelberger, Sallie
Gilreath, Margaret
Gilreath, Elizabeth
Green, Jessie
Grass, Annie
Glenn, Susie
Hobbs, Pleas
Jones, Laura

Kelly, Ollie
King, Florence
Lindsey, Annie
Malone, Miss
Malone, Mary
Parrish, Laura
Reeder, Annie
Rives, Sarah
Skewes, Alice
Stith, Fannie
Warten, Louise
Webb, Bessie

ART DEPARTMENT.

Barnes, Enid
Glenn, Susie
Gilreath, Lollie

Harlow, Leila
Lindsey, Annie
Rogers, Annie

Departments of Instruction.

- I. School of English.
- II. School of Ancient Languages.
- III. School of Modern Languages.
- IV. School of History and Philosophy.
- V. School of Mathematics.
- VI. School of Natural Sciences.
- VII. School of Biblical Literature.
- VIII. School of Music.
- IX. School of Art.
- X. School of Expression.

Degrees.

Ability to speak and write the English Language is a requisite for graduation in any department.

Those who complete the curriculum of any school, with an approved course in English, shall be entitled to graduation in that school.

The Classical Course, outlined hereafter, leads to degree A. B.

The Scientific Course, degree B. S., does not require Greek.

The Philosophy Course, degree of B. P., or B. L., does not require Greek or Latin.

These requirements are arranged with reference to the standard erected by the National and Southern Educational Association, and adopted by Educational Commission of the M. E. Church, South.

Those who complete the course prescribed for Piano, Harmony and Theory, and History of Music, shall be entitled to the degree of Graduate in Pianoforte.

Those who complete the course prescribed for Voice shall be entitled to the degree of Graduate in Voice.

Those who complete the prescribed course in Art shall be entitled to the degree of Graduate in Art.

Those who complete the course of the School of Expression shall be entitled to the degree of Graduate in Expression.

Curriculum.

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT.

CLASSES AND BOOKS.

First Primary, or First Class.

Appleton's Chart Primer.

Crosby's Little Book for Little Folks.

The Jones First Reader.

Arithmetic Spelling, Writing.

Second Primary, or Second Class.

Reading—The Jones Second.

Spelling and Dictation—Branson's.

Arithmetic—Milne's Elementary.

Bible—Foster's Gospel Paths for Little Feet.

Penmanship.

First Preparatory, or Third Class.

Reading—The Jones Third.

Spelling and Dictation—Harrington's, Part I.

Arithmetic—Milne's Elementary.

Geography—Appleton's First Book.

Bible—Foster's Gospel Paths for Little Feet.

Penmanship.

Second Preparatory, or Fourth Class.

Reading—Progressive Course, Fourth Book.

Spelling and Dictation—Harrington's, Part I.

Arithmetic—Milne's Elementary.

Language—Hyde's Primary English.

Geography—Maury's Elementary.

Bible—Red Letter New Testament.

Penmanship.

INTERMEDIATE DEPARTMENT.

(Requiring one or two years, owing to diligence and intelligence of pupil.)

Arithmetic—Wentworth's Practical.

Grammar—Hyde's.

Spelling—Practical Speller, Advanced, Jacobs.

History—Legendary; Myths of Greece and Rome, Gueber; Legends of the Middle Ages, Gueber.

Reading—Geographical Readers, Carpenter; also easy classics, as Legend of Sleepy Hollow, Irving; Evangeline, Longfellow; Tanglewood Tales, Hawthorne; Enoch Arden, Tennyson.

Penmanship, Physical Culture.

Bible.

SUB-COLLEGIATE.

First Year.

English—Dictation and Written Exercises; Grammar, Whitney and Lockwood; Hazen's Speller.

Mathematics—Elementary and Practical Arithmetic.

Latin—First year Latin, Collar and Daniel.

Geography—Frye's Revised.

History—Fisk's United States.

Penmanship.

Second Year.

English—Dictation and Written Exercises; Grammar, Study in Classics; Lockwood and Emerson's Lessons.

Mathematics—Arithmetic; First steps in Algebra.

Latin—Second Year Latin, Collar and Daniel; Caesar; Grammar.

Greek—White's First Greek Book.

History—Montgomery's English and French.

Geography.

Physiology.

Penmanship.

COLLEGE.

Classical Course.

Required for Degree of Bachelor of Arts.

Freshman.

English—Rhetoric (Genung's Outlines); Compositions; Parallel Readings.

Latin—Caesar, Virgil; Prose Composition; Grammar (Allen and Greenough).

or

Greek—Xenophon, Herodotus; Prose Composition; Grammar (Goodwin).

Mathematics—Arithmetic; New School Algebra; Plane Geometry.

History—History of Greece and Rome, Mediaeval and Modern (Myers); Myths of Greece and Rome.

Bible—Patriarchal and Hebrew History (Steel).

Sophomore.

English—American Literature (Painter), Irving, Emerson, Compositions.

Latin—Cicero, Horace; Prose Composition; Grammar.

or

Greek—Homer's Iliad; Lyric Poets; Prose Composition; Grammar.

Mathematics—Algebra; solid Geometry; Mensuration.

Science—Elementary Physics.

Bible—Later Hebrew History and Prophecy (Steele).

Junior.

English—English Literature (Pancoast); English Men of Letters (Chaucer), Shakespeare; Essays.

Latin—Livy, Cicero de Senectute, de Amicitia; Prose Composition; Grammar.

Mathematics—Trigonometry.

Science—Chemistry.

Philosophy—Logic (Hill's Jevons); Ethics (Janet).

Bible—The Life of Christ (Steele).

Electives.

Greek—Demosthenes; Prose Composition; Grammar.

Mathematics—Analytical Geometry.

French—Grammar; Compositions and Conversation; Reading of Standard Authors.

German—Grammar; Composition and Conversation; Reading of Standard Authors.

Science—Physics (Gage's Principles and Laboratory Manual).

History—Constitutional History of the United States.

Senior.

Philosophy—Psychology (Davis).

Science—Physiology; Geology.

Bible—Propagation of the Gospel (Steele).

Electives.

Three courses must be selected from the following:

English—Minto's English Poets; selections from Shakespeare, Lamb, Macauley, Tennyson, Emerson, Ruskin.

Latin—Tacitus; Cicero de Natura Deorum.

Greek—Plato's Apology; Aristophanes' Clouds.

French, German—Grammar; Composition and Conversation; Reading of Standard Authors.

Science—Biology; Botany; Chemistry.

Mathematics—Calculus, or Astronomy.

Philosophy—History of Philosophy; Theism.

Modern Language Course—Leading to Degree Bachelor of Arts.

The curriculum is the same as for Classical Course, except that French or German may substitute Greek in the Freshman and Sophomore years; and, that advanced work in French or German may substitute Latin in junior year. In the Senior year, the work is the same as for Classical Course.

General Information.

EXAMINATIONS AND CLASSIFICATIONS.

Admission into College Classes for a degree will require examination. In order to determine proper classifications, entrance examinations will be held at the beginning of session. Other examinations may be held upon any subject, at such time as the teacher may deem proper.

Final examinations may be held upon studies as they are completed. Results here will determine advancement to higher classes.

IRREGULAR PUPILS.

Pupils who have been irregularly advanced, yet desire to graduate, will be classified as wisely as possible, and brought to regular classification as soon as practicable.

In case of those not intending to graduate, who desire to spend a year or two in the College, there will be given liberty to select such course as may be best adapted to individual cases; provided in every instance, elections are in line with some regular part of the College Curriculum.

Morals and Manners.

MORALS.

Athens Female College is designed to be distinctively a Christian school, with clear-cut Methodist proclivities. And as such, it shall endeavor constantly to stand as a faithful expositor and exponent of the faith for which Methodism stands. Nevertheless, respectful regard will be had for the religious tenets of patrons and pupils of other communions. Touching each student, our one purpose will be to secure well-rounded character, developed and endowed according to standards erected by the Christian religion.

Daily, in the College Chapel, the Faculty and students will come together to read the Scriptures, to sing and pray. All students will be expected to attend Chapel exercises. The Bible will be a text-book in the College. Lectures will be given by the President on the general scope of Christian doctrine and discipline, and the necessity for personal piety will be impressed upon mind and heart.

Boarding students will attend Sunday school and other religious services at the Methodist church. Those of other denomination will be permitted to attend church of their choice.

MANNERS.

The right cultivation of good manners may most properly be regarded as one of the chief, cardinal ends of education. In the sphere of cultivated taste, in the realm of refined sentiment, in the domain of dignified and polished manners, there may be discovered woman's proper element for the manifestation of her rarest radiance and charm. All those pure, true rules of Christian consistency and social ethics, which do most tend to elevate, dignify and adorn womanly character, we shall use all diligence and persistence to teach. It shall be our special and constant aim to inspire and cultivate the art of refined conversation and polished manners as indispensable qualifications for the social circle.

DRESS

To secure neatness and order upon the part of young ladies, both as regards personal attire and arrangement of clothing and rooms, special and painstaking care shall be had.

A tasteful, inexpensive uniform dress will be adopted by or before October 15. Parents are requested to make no special outlay for dress in advance. For Commencement, white muslin will be worn on public occasions. Prohibition shall stand against low-neck dresses and against sleeves shorter than elbow.

Health.

In the history of a school, health is a matter of prime importance. Perhaps no school in the land has made better health record than has Athens Female College, throughout its course of three score years. Such

gratifying sanitary conditions are no doubt attributable, in large measure, to local surroundings.

Recent expert investigation of health conditions is thus reported by "The United States Health Bulletin:"

"These investigations have been made without the instigation of the proprietors and generally without their knowledge, consequently they are absolutely unbiased and unprejudiced.

"Among the schools that met with the general approval of the experts investigating these matters for us, and which we have no hesitancy in recommending to our readers is the Athens Female College, Athens, Ala.

"We know nothing about the course of study at this school, for it is of no interest to us; but, if the same care is taken with the mental welfare of the pupil as is shown and plainly shown to be taken with the physical, we feel that it deserves the support of parents and the encouragement of the public.

"Are the days of Dotheboys Hall so long past that parents can trust their children's future to the care of strangers without the most searching investigations?"

(From "United States Health Bulletin").

A large campus and beautiful grounds will invite to out-of-door exercise. Croquet, tennis and other games that contribute to health and cheerfulness will be encouraged.

In all cases of serious sickness, parents will be notified promptly.

The College Home.

The College home will be under the immediate supervision of the President. Boarders will be received and regarded as members of the family, and cared for as our own daughters. No pains shall be spared to secure all the advantages of a well-ordered Christian home. Teachers residing in the College building will render efficient aid in making this a safe and pleasant home for pupils.

A generous table of good, wholesome food, well cooked, will be kept. Fuel will be supplied without stint. Pupils boarding in the College are free from the interruption of society, do not incur exposure to in-

clement weather, lose no time on account of rainy days, have the assistance of teachers at all times, and are under rules conducive to habits of study and good health.

We will not be responsible, except during school hours, for those who board outside the College.

Government

Where responsibility is imposed, authority must be acknowledged. To the extent that teachers are held responsible, they should have the right to direct the conduct of their pupils. All parties concerned should constantly bear in mind these self-evident truths.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS.

1. Prompt obedience to all bells.
2. Orderly arrangement of rooms, clothing, toilet, at all times.
3. Faithful observance of hours of study, recreation and rest.
4. Quiet observance of the Sabbath.
5. Attendance and propriety at Sunday school and church.
6. Prompt report of sickness to Matron.
7. Cheerful compliance with direction of teachers in all things for which they are responsible.

SPECIAL PROHIBITIONS.

1. Absence from study hall, or from any school duty, without permission.
2. Visiting out of College, except with parents or teachers.
3. Sending or receiving anything through day pupils or servants.
4. Communications of any kind with young gentlemen without proper permission.
5. Borrowing money, books, jewelry, or clothing, from other pupils.
6. Changing studies or leaving any class without consent of President teacher involved.
7. Reading or circulating novels or newspapers without permission of President or members of Faculty.
8. Making accounts at stores, except in cases authorized by parents and with knowledge of the President.

TO PATRONS.

With good reasons, patrons hold us responsible for the welfare of their daughters. Therefore, it is imperative that parents decline to sanction in their daughters, who are in our school, any violation of our rules.

Special Information.

1. Each boarder furnishes her own toilet articles, towels, table napkins, pillow, pillow cases, sheets, quilt and bed spreads—all marked in her own name.

2. Damage or breakage of furniture, beyond ordinary wear, will be charged to the inmates of room where damage is done.

3. Parents are reminded of the urgent importance of pupils being present at the beginning of session. A few days lost at the beginning may mar the progress of the whole year. Pupils should stay at their studies without interruption.

4. Costly jewelry and costly clothing should not be brought to school. The outfit of a school girl should be simple.

5. It is positively harmful for pupils to have large amounts of spending money. To meet necessary and unforeseen expenses, reasonable deposits may be made with the President. Except by instruction from parents, money will not be advanced to pupils.

6. Telegrams for pupils must be sent through the President. All packages sent by express should be prepaid, and sent care of President.

7. The correspondence of pupils will be under the supervision of the President. Letters should be addressed to her care. Parents should furnish list of persons with whom their daughters may correspond.

8. Social pleasures outside of the College do not facilitate successful study; therefore, parents are not expected to request for their daughters the privilege of picnics, parties, dinings, and evenings away from the College. Such privileges do not promote good discipline, but tend to defeat the aim of school life.

9. When pupils are to return home, written instructions to that effect should be sent to the President.

10. The President's contracts are made by the year and are binding

for that time. Whenever a pupil is entered, it is regarded that between President and patron a contract is implied for the entire school year. Withdrawal from school, even for a few days, not only impairs scholarship, but induces a spirit of restlessness unfavorable to study.

Pupils entering within two weeks from beginning of term are charged for full term.

For absence from school no deduction will be made, except for protracted sickness.

No deductions are made for holidays, nor for absence for the last six weeks of school.

11. Boarders keep their own rooms.

TEACHERS.

Teachers are expected to be devoted to their profession and to seek constantly to engender and foster a true college spirit.

They are expected—

(a) To be prompt, faithful and zealous in the discharge of their duties.

(b) To attend devotional exercises of the College and to be prompt at meals.

(c) To keep all pupils well up in their classes.

(d) To assist the President, in every reasonable way, in governing and building up the school.

(e) To bear complaints in good spirit, and to make no criticism of associate teachers.

(f) To take a good educational journal, to pursue such course of reading, and to attend, as far as practicable in vacation, educational associations and institutes, to the end of keeping well up in their profession.

(g) To give no instruction outside the College during the session except with the knowledge and consent of the President.

History of the College.

Athens Female College was projected in October, 1842, at a session of the Tennessee Annual Conference, held in Athens. In 1843 the Legislature of Alabama granted a charter incorporating the Female Institute of the Tennessee Annual Conference. The character and dignity of the undertaking may be estimated by the Board of Trustees named in the act of incorporation, viz.: A. L. P. Green, Thomas Maddin, Ambrose F. Driskill, Joshua Bucher, Frederick G. Ferguson, Daniel Coleman, Ira E. Hobbs, Benjamin W. Maclin, Thomas Bass, James F. Sowell, Thomas Stith Malone, James C. Malone, William Richardson, George S. Houston, Richard W. Vassar, Jonathan McDonald, James Craig.

The lofty aims of the institution were further shown in the election of the learned and sweet-spirited Rev. R. H. Rivers, D. D., as its first President.

In 1869, the North Alabama Conference was organized, and Athens, with all the northern part of the State of Alabama, came into the confines of that Conference, and there was transferred to the North Alabama Conference all church property in that territory formerly held by the Tennessee Conference. Thus did the institute become the property of the North Alabama Conference.

In 1872 the charter was amended, changing the name to Athens Female Institute. In 1889 the charter was amended again, and the name changed to Athens Female College.

The main building was erected in 1843, and has received two substantial additions.

Athens Female College has been a church institution from the day of its inception. It is today the only institution for the education of young women owned or controlled by the North Alabama Conference.

The College has had an honorable history, and is enshrined in the hearts of thousands of our people. The present is propitious; the future is therefore promising.

BUILDING AND GROUNDS.

The entire structure is of brick. The main building is of beautiful Ionic design, three stories high. Two additions to the main building have been made. In these are dining room and chapel on first floor, with sleeping rooms in second story.

The dining room is spacious. The chapel is 50x80 feet. Sleeping rooms are well heated, ventilated and lighted by electricity.

The College is being connected to the city waterworks in compliance with the most approved method.

The College grounds comprise some ten acres, with well appointed, majestic and beautiful groves of oak, poplar and maple. The College is easily accessible to depot, church and business part of city, yet the quiet retirement and seclusion of the premises are as perfect as though miles in the country.

The grounds are excellently adapted to out-of-door exercise, to croquet, tennis, ball, etc., and are attractive generally for recreation and rest.

LOCATION.

Athens, the county seat of Limestone county, has about 2,500 population, is situated on the main line of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad, and is the second highest point on that line between Cincinnati and the Gulf.

The town has an excellent water and electric light plant, a well equipped local telephone exchange, with a wide country connection, is on the line of the long distance telephone from New York to New Orleans, and enjoys first-class railroad, telegraph, mail and express facilities.

Athens is one of the oldest towns in Alabama, has long been noted for the culture and refinement of its society, and has contributed to the state its full quota of distinguished men and elegant women. It is an ideal place for a seat of learning.

Important improvements will be made in the already commodious and handsome school edifice. The sleeping apartments are all to be freshly renovated, and every possible effort made to render the college a delightful and attractive home for the student.

Scholastic Year.

The next scholastic year will open on Wednesday, September 28, 1904 and close May 26, 1905.

For convenience in making payments, the school year is divided into two financial sessions, the first beginning September 28, 1904, and the second beginning February 1, 1905.

Payment for the first session will be required upon entrance, and payment for the second session, on February 1.

We cannot do a credit business without impairing the efficiency of the school.

EXPENSES FOR THE ENTIRE SESSION.

Board, including fuel, lights, washing....	\$135.00
Tuition—Primary Department....	18.00
Intermediate Department.....	30.00
College Classes..	40.00
Instrumental Music....	40.00
Instrumental Music under Director....	50.00
Use of Instrument (one hour a day)....	10.00
Special Vocal Lessons....	40.00
Harmony, in class of five or ten..	10.00
Vocal Lessons in Class....	Free
Violin, Guitar, Mandolin, each....	40.00
Art Studies	40.00
Lessons in Design and Decoration will be charged	
for, per lesson, from....	50c to 75c
Elocution, individual lessons.....	36.00
Elocution in class....	20.00
Physical Culture, in class.....	20.00
Shorthand.....	20.00
Typewriting..	20.00

Bookkeeping.....	20.00
Incidental Fee, payable upon entrance.....	2.50
Graduating Expenses, including Diploma.....	10.00
Board and Tuition in collegiate classes	160.00

Where two or more boarding pupils come from same family, liberal discount will be made from regular charges.

Daughters of ministers in the traveling connection will be charged one hundred dollars for the school year for all expenses in the Boarding Department, and to them literary tuition is free.

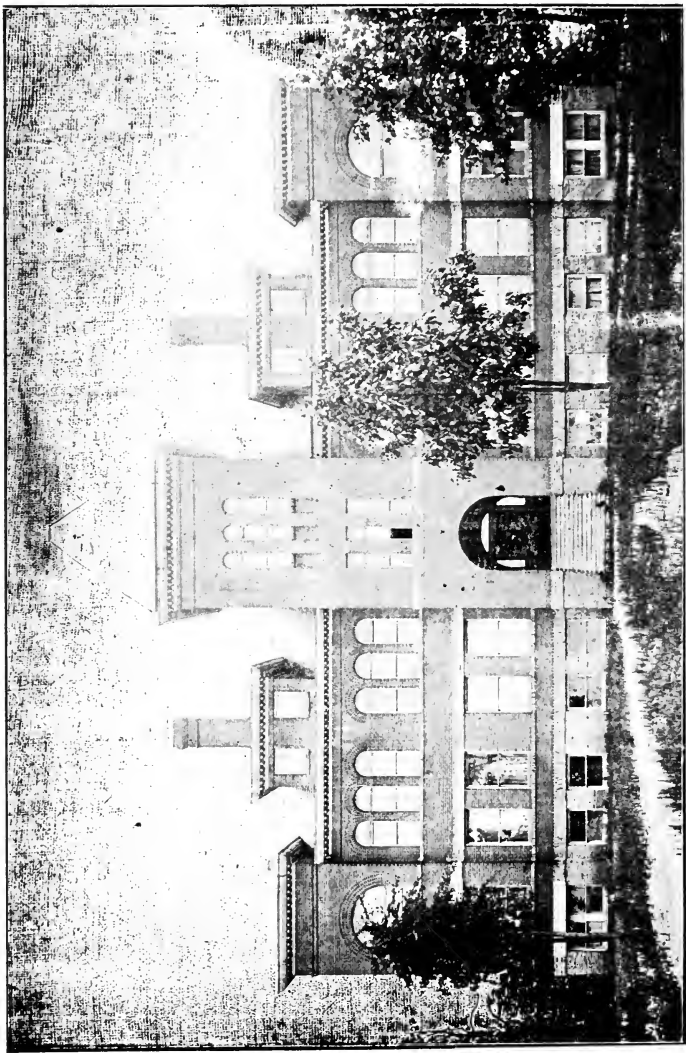
Books, stationery, art materials and sheet music will be furnished at publishers' retail prices.

No honors, awards, or diplomas will be conferred until all bills are satisfactorily arranged.

When on account of protracted sickness or providential causes, pupils are withdrawn, money due will be promptly refunded; but no deduction will be made for holidays, for temporary absence, or for the last six weeks of the session.

Pupils who enter the departments of Music, Art, or Expression, are expected to continue to the close of the school year. No deduction will be made, unless the withdrawal be unavoidable.

We do not desire to receive pupils who expect to drop out before the close of the school year.



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The College is located three miles from business center of Birmingham. Seventh session begins September 14, 1904. Courses are offered in English Literature, Ancient and Modern Languages, Mathematics, Chemistry, Physics, Mental and Moral Science, History and Biblical Literature.

A Sub-Collegiate Department will prepare boys for the regular college courses. Ministers and laymen are aiding the Board of Trustees in the plan inaugurated to raise one hundred thousand dollars for additional buildings and equipments.

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